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## DEBULL'S COUGH SYRUP

For the Cure of Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Influenza, Consumption and for the relief of Consumptive Persons in advanced stages of the Disease. Price 25 Cents For Sale by all Druggists.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

F. FISHER & BROS.,  
G. W. FISHER.

(Successors to Fisher, Ross & Co.)

GROCERS, LIQUOR AND COMMISSION

120, 75 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va.

Special attention given to the sale of country produce, poultry, &c. jan24-11

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR.,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Agent for

J. B. FICKEN & SONS, BRIDGEWATER

PAULINA.

And wholesale and retail FISH DEALER

AND BUTTER DEALER.

Prompt attention given to all orders both from

city and country.

NOS. 11 & 13 NORTH UNION ST.,

jan22 Alexandria, Va.

B. G. CARTER,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,

225 Union street,

Alexandria, Va.

Consignments respectfully solicited with best

endeavor to obtain highest market values.

Prompt returns of proceeds a specialty, and

liberal advances made on consignments in

store. dec20-11

SATURDAY.

29th

Popular Monthly Drawing of the

Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At Mechanics' Theatre, in the city of Louis-

ville, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1881.

These drawings occur monthly (Sundays ex-

cepted) under provisions of an Act of the Gen-

eral Assembly of Kentucky, incorporating the

Commonwealth Distribution Co., approved

April 9, 1878.

This is a special act, and has

never been repeated.

The United States Circuit Court on March 31

rendered the following decision:

1st—That the Commonwealth Dis-

tribution Company is legal.

2d—Its drawings are fair.

The Company has on hand a large reserve

fund. Read carefully the list of prizes for the

PRIZES DRAWING.

1 prize, \$10,000 each \$10,000

1 prize, 10,000 each 10,000

1 prize, 5,000 each 5,000

1 prize, 1,000 each 1,000

10 prizes \$1,000 each \$10,000

20 prizes 500 each 10,000

50 prizes 300 each, Approx. prizes, \$2,700

100 prizes 200 each, " " 2,000

1,000 prizes 100 each, " " 100,000

Whole tickets \$24; half tickets \$12; 212,400

\$50; 50 tickets \$10.

Remit Money or Bank Draft in Letter, or send

by Express. MONEY SENT BY REGISTERED

LETTER OR POST-OFFICE ORDER.

Orders of \$5 and upward, by Express, can be

sent at our expense. Address all orders to

M. BOARDEMAN, Counter-Journal, Build-

ing, Louisville, Ky., or T. J. CONNOR-

FORD, 212 Broadway, N. Y. jan1-10-11

FANCY GOODS.

FERGUSON & BRO.,

Manufacturers of

HUMAN HAIR GOODS,

341 Penn. av., S. E., Washington, D. C.,

and BRANCH STORE, No. 35 King street,

(F. Pad's old store)

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

And dealers in HUSBANDY, NOTIONS, HOOP

SKIRTS, FICHES, FRAMES, &c. Orders

by mail promptly executed. nov15

C. M. ADAMS.

An immense assortment of Merino Underwear,

showing the largest and most complete stock

offered in the city for ladies, gents, misses, boys

and infants; prices 10c to \$5 each.

Ribbons, Corsets and Handkerchiefs.

German-made, Saxony and Sheffield Wool;

Yarns in all colors and quantities; Zephyr Wor-

sted, a full supply; always in stock Jerseys, Cos-

ettes, Embroidered Silks and Needles.

Buttons, Spooling, Cottons, Thread, Soaps,

Perfumery, Jewelry, &c.

Hosiery in solid colors, Stripes, Balmoral,

Barbrigan, Merino, Lisle Thread, Mourning

and Yarn; over 600 dozen of fine and medium

price Hosiery; prices from 10c to \$2.50 per pair.

Woolen Shawls, Scarfs, Hoods and Dublins.

Gloves in Kid, Buck, Sheep and Dog Skin.

French Cord, Cloth, Burling, Ringwood, Wash-

ing and Undergarments; prices 25c to \$2 per pair.

Gent's fine Neckwear in Ties, Hosiery, Rutland,

Delonville and a handsome assortment of Silk

and Satin Scarfs, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and

Suspenders.

Neck handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Edgings Veil-

ings, Hoop skirts, &c.

C. M. ADAMS, 92 King st.,

Alexandria, Va.

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HOSIERY, GLOVES, Handkerchiefs, Col-

lars and Cuffs, in great variety, at

C. C. BERRY'S.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MERINO

LEVESTS AND PANTS, all sizes and qual-

ities, at

C. C. BERRY'S.

ZEPHYR WORSTEDS, German-made Wools

and Knitting Yarns, in all shades and colors,

at 25c

C. C. BERRY'S.

CONCORDIA RESTAURANT

—AND—

DINING ROOMS,

Corner Prince and Royal sts., Alexandria, Va.

JACOB BOHRMAN, Prop'r.

This new and elegant establishment has just

been opened and will be conducted in such a

manner as to insure the public patronage.

It will be a regular, first class family resort.

Barquets for Clubs, and Societies furnished at

the shortest notice.

Everything in season kept constantly on hand

and served up in the best style.

Specialties: STEAMED OYSTERS, Im-

ported Brandies and Wines, Burguer & Engel's

Philadelphia Lager. jan12

FRESH LEMONS received to-day by

jan4 J. C. MILBURN

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A Practical Form of Benevolence.

[Correspondence of the New York Tribune.]

ALEXANDRIA, VA., Feb. 4.—A sinner of

several weeks in this old Virginia town gives

excellent opportunities for observing the

workings of a charitable enterprise com-

menced here under the auspices of the Ladies' Relief

Association some six years ago, called the Em-

ployment Society. It had its origin in this

way: During the winter season there are large

numbers of deserving poor who could not live

but for aid received from the Relief Assoca-

tion—families of fishermen, sailors on river

craft, oyster boats, etc., who can find no em-

ployment. For many years it was the rule of

the association to take the names of all appli-

cants and find out by visiting and talking

with them they were really in need, and con-

firming to their necessities; but it was

feared that this might have a demoralizing

tendency, and it was "borne in upon the minds"

of some that a true philanthropy would devise

employment for these idle hands, and thus help

them to earn something, however little. Sev-

eral propositions were discussed, and one or

two plans tried, only to prove how many diffi-

culties were in the way; finally it was decided

that a plan could be devised by making bags for

plaster and grain. This idea originated in

the brain of a most active and energetic

member of the association, and one not easily

deterred; so when various reasons why it would

not work were brought forward she was ready

with counter-reasons why it should at least be

tried. A gentleman friend of the cause just at

this time donated \$100, and with this small

capital a beginning was made. Added to other

disadvantages was the difficulty of obtaining

materials, a spirit of jealousy and self seeking

seemed to be in the way; at last a house in

Baltimore succeeded to let the society have one

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## JACOBS OIL

TRADE MARK.

THE GREAT

REMEDY

FOR

RHEUMATISM,

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago,

Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout,

Quincy, Sore Throat, Swellings and

Sprains, Burns and Scalds,

General Bodily Pains,

Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet

and Ears, and all other Pains

and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil as

a powerful stimulant and blood purifier. A trial

will enable you to see the extraordinary quality

of the oil, and every one suffering with pain

will find it a most valuable and positive proof of its

value. It is sold by all Druggists and Dealers in

Medicine.

A. VOGEL & CO.,

Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

SOLE BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN

MEDICINE.

HOSTETTER'S

CELEBRATED

STOMACH

BITTERS

No Time should be Lost

If the stomach, liver and bowels are affected, to

adapt the sure remedy, Hostetter's Stomach

Bitters. Diseases of the organs named beget

others far more serious, and a delay is therefore

hazardous. Dyspepsia, liver complaint, bilious

fever, early rheumatic twinges, kidney

weakness, bring serious bodily trouble if trifled

with. Lose no time in using this effective, safe

and long known remedy.

For sale by all Druggists and Dealers generally.

GENERAL.

BURKE & HERBERT,

Dealers in

GOVERNMENT BONDS

LOCAL STOCKS AND ALL FIRST CLASS

RAILROAD BONDS,

AND OTHER GOOD INVESTMENT SE-

CURITIES.

ALEXA., VA. COUPONS receivable for

taxes. my 9

BURKE & HERBERT.

FERTILIZERS.

I beg leave to call the attention of the farmers

to the following brands of Fertilizers, which I

now offer for sale:

Perry's Complete Wheat Fertilizer.

Perry's Eagle Brand Guano.

The above brands of Fertilizers are composed

of fish scrap, bone and potash; price \$40 per

200 lbs.

I have also Fish Scrap or Chum at \$20, and the

same at \$10.

J. T. Turner & Co's. Excelsior; price \$45 per

ton.

St. J. Guano; price \$25.

Perry's Guano; price \$30.

The above Fertilizers have given general satis-

faction to all those who have used them.

THOMAS PERRY, Agent.

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